

Dialysis Care Center McHenry, LLC

612 S. IL Route 31, Suite A
McHenry, IL 60050

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Ms. Courtney Avery
Administrator
Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board
525 West Jefferson Street, 2ND Floor
Springfield, Illinois 62761

Via Federal Express
Via E-Mail

Re: Dialysis Care Center McHenry (Proj. No. 16-058)
Request for expedited review

Dear Ms. Avery:

On behalf of Dialysis Care Center McHenry, we respectfully request the Illinois Health Facilities and Service Review Board ("State Board") grant expedited review of the certificate of need permit for the above referenced project (the "CON Application") and consider the CON application at the May 2, 2017 State Board meeting. This project proposes to establishment of a 14-station dialysis facility to be located at 612 S. IL Route 31, Suite A, McHenry, IL 60050. As discussed in the CON Application, the facility is to be located in HSA 8, where the State Board has determined a need for 57 additional stations, and the current facilities cannot accommodate Dr Farhan Bangash's projected patients. It is critical the CON Application is heard at the May 2, 2017 meeting. If the project is not heard until June 20, 2017, it is unlikely the project will be able to be accomplished at the proposed completion date, which could significantly delay this vital project. Accordingly, we request the State Board consider this project at the May 2, 2017 meeting to ensure patients in the McHenry area have access to much needed dialysis services, and the needs of the additional chairs in the HSA 8 are met.

Thank you for your time and consideration of our request for expedited review of the Dialysis Care Center McHenry CON Application, if you have any questions or need any additional information, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



Asim Shazzad
Administrator